

## CIVIL COVER SHEET

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## I. (a) PLAINTIFFS

Sapp, Alton S

(b) County of Residence of First Listed Plaintiff Burke  
(EXCEPT IN U.S. PLAINTIFF CASES)

(c) Attorneys (Firm Name, Address, and Telephone Number)

N/A

## DEFENDANTS

Matthews Police Dept., Town  
of MatthewsCounty of Residence of First Listed Defendant Mecklenburg  
(IN U.S. PLAINTIFF CASES ONLY)NOTE: IN LAND CONDEMNATION CASES, USE THE DEED OF  
THE TRACT OF LAND INVOLVED

Attorneys (If Known)

N/A

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## II. BASIS OF JURISDICTION (Place an "X" in One Box Only)

<input type="checkbox"/> 1 U.S. Government Plaintiff	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 3 Federal Question (U.S. Government Not a Party)
<input type="checkbox"/> 2 U.S. Government Defendant	<input type="checkbox"/> 4 Diversity (Indicate Citizenship of Parties in Item III)

## III. CITIZENSHIP OF PRINCIPAL PARTIES (Place an "X" in One Box for Plaintiff and One Box for Defendant)

	PTF	DEF		PTF	DEF
Citizen of This State	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	Incorporated or Principal Place of Business In This State	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	<input type="checkbox"/> 4
Citizen of Another State	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	Incorporated and Principal Place of Business In Another State	<input type="checkbox"/> 5	<input type="checkbox"/> 5
Citizen or Subject of a Foreign Country	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	Foreign Nation	<input type="checkbox"/> 6	<input type="checkbox"/> 6

## IV. NATURE OF SUIT (Place an "X" in One Box Only)

CONTRACT	TORTS	FORFEITURE/PENALTY	BANKRUPTCY	OTHER STATUTES
<input type="checkbox"/> 110 Insurance	<b>PERSONAL INJURY</b>	<b>PERSONAL INJURY</b>	<b>422 Appeal 28 USC 158</b>	<b>375 False Claims Act</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> 120 Marine	310 Airplane	365 Personal Injury - Product Liability	<input type="checkbox"/> 423 Withdrawal 28 USC 157	<b>376 Qui Tam (31 USC 3729(a))</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> 130 Miller Act	315 Airplane Product Liability	367 Health Care/Pharmaceutical Personal Injury Product Liability	<b>INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS</b>	<b>400 State Reapportionment</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> 140 Negotiable Instrument	320 Assault, Libel & Slander	330 Federal Employers' Liability	<input type="checkbox"/> 820 Copyrights	<b>410 Antitrust</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> 150 Recovery of Overpayment & Enforcement of Judgment	340 Marine	345 Marine Product Liability	<input type="checkbox"/> 830 Patent	<b>430 Banks and Banking</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> 151 Medicare Act	350 Motor Vehicle	355 Motor Vehicle Product Liability	<input type="checkbox"/> 835 Patent - Abbreviated New Drug Application	<b>450 Commerce</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> 152 Recovery of Defaulted Student Loans (Excludes Veterans)	360 Other Personal Injury	362 Personal Injury - Medical Malpractice	<input type="checkbox"/> 840 Trademark	<b>460 Deportation</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> 153 Recovery of Overpayment of Veteran's Benefits			<input type="checkbox"/> 880 Defend Trade Secrets Act of 2016	<b>470 Racketeer Influenced and Corrupt Organizations</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> 160 Stockholders' Suits				<b>480 Consumer Credit (15 USC 1681 or 1692)</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> 190 Other Contract				<b>485 Telephone Consumer Protection Act</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> 195 Contract Product Liability				<b>490 Cable/Sat TV</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> 196 Franchise				<b>850 Securities/Commodities/ Exchange</b>
REAL PROPERTY	CIVIL RIGHTS	PRISONER PETITIONS	SOCIAL SECURITY	<b>890 Other Statutory Actions</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> 210 Land Condemnation	x 440 Other Civil Rights	Habeas Corpus:	<b>861 HIA (1395ff)</b>	<b>891 Agricultural Acts</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> 220 Foreclosure	441 Voting	463 Alien Detainee	<b>862 Black Lung (923)</b>	<b>893 Environmental Matters</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> 230 Rent Lease & Ejectment	442 Employment	510 Motions to Vacate Sentence	<b>863 DIWC/DIWW (405(g))</b>	<b>895 Freedom of Information Act</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> 240 Torts to Land	443 Housing/ Accommodations	530 General	<b>864 SSID Title XVI</b>	<b>896 Arbitration</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> 245 Tort Product Liability	445 Amer. w/Disabilities - Employment	535 Death Penalty	<b>865 RSI (405(g))</b>	<b>899 Administrative Procedure Act/Review or Appeal of Agency Decision</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> 290 All Other Real Property	446 Amer. w/Disabilities - Other	Other:	<b>870 Taxes (U.S. Plaintiff or Defendant)</b>	<b>950 Constitutionality of State Statutes</b>
	448 Education	540 Mandamus & Other	<b>871 IRS—Third Party</b>	
		550 Civil Rights	26 USC 7609	
		555 Prison Condition		
		560 Civil Detainee - Conditions of Confinement		

## V. ORIGIN (Place an "X" in One Box Only)

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Original Proceeding	<input type="checkbox"/> 2 Removed from State Court	<input type="checkbox"/> 3 Remanded from Appellate Court	<input type="checkbox"/> 4 Reinstated or Reopened	<input type="checkbox"/> 5 Transferred from Another District	<input type="checkbox"/> 6 Multidistrict Litigation - Transfer	<input type="checkbox"/> 8 Multidistrict Litigation - Direct File
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Cite the U.S. Civil Statute under which you are filing (Do not cite jurisdictional statutes unless diversity):  
42 US Code § 1983

Brief description of cause:

Federal Civil Rights Violations

due to police misconduct by police officer

CHECK IF THIS IS A CLASS ACTION  
UNDER RULE 23, F.R.Cv.P.

DEMAND \$

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CHECK YES only if demanded in complaint:

JURY DEMAND:  Yes  No

## VIII. RELATED CASE(S) IF ANY

(See instructions):

JUDGE

DOCKET NUMBER

DATE

8/8/2022

SIGNATURE OF ATTORNEY OF RECORD

Alton S. Sapp

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RECEIPT #

AMOUNT

APPLYING IFFP

JUDGE

MAG. JUDGE